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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Robert Veilleux et al.	Examiner:	Christy M. Green
Serial No.:	09/836,014	Group Art Unit:	3635
Filed:	April 17, 2001	Docket:	186.013US1
Title:	A STRUCTURAL WOODEN JOIST		

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The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicants' Representative at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this communication.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.98(a)(2), Applicant believes that copies of cited U.S. Patents and Published Applications are no longer required to be provided to the Office. Notification of this change was provided in the United States Patent and Trademark Office OG Notices dated October 12, 2004. Thus, Applicant has not included copies of any US Patents or Published Applications cited with this submission. Should the Office require copies to be provided, Applicant respectfully requests that notice of such requirement be directed to Applicant's below-signed representative. Applicant acknowledges the requirement to submit copies of foreign patent documents and non-patent literature in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98(a)(2).

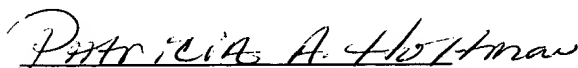
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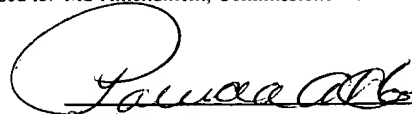
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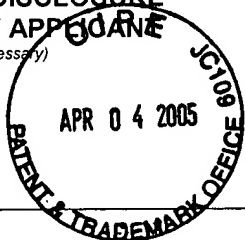

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US PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initial *	USP Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Filing Date If Appropriate
	US-4,195,462	04/01/1980	Keller, J. R., et al.	04/24/1978

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COMMUNICATION CONCERNING RELATED APPLICATIONS

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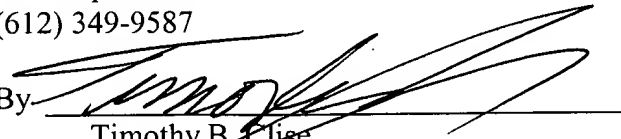
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Continuations and divisionals may be later filed on the cases listed above, or cited to the Examiner in any previous Communication Concerning Related Applications. Applicant requests that the Examiner review all continuations and divisionals of the above-listed or previously-cited patent applications before allowing the claims of the present patent application.

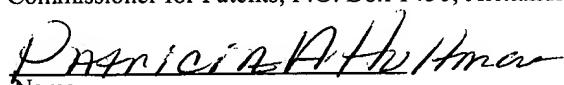
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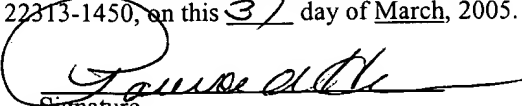
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